

What is claimed is:

1. A pyroglutamic acid salt of amlodipine.

5           2. The pyroglutamic acid salt of amlodipine as defined in claim 1, wherein  
the pyroglutamic acid is (S)-(-)-pyroglutamic acid or (R)-(+)-pyroglutamic acid.

          3. The pyroglutamic acid salt of amlodipine as defined in claim 1, wherein  
the salt is in crystalline form.

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          4. The pyroglutamic acid salt of amlodipine as defined in claim 1, wherein  
the salt is light-stable.